



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

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**SAME** 

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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

May 28, 1999

Sir:

Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks for examination in connection with the above-identified application.

## IN THE ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Please cancel the original Abstract of the Disclosure and insert the following new Abstract attached herewith.

## IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as follows:

Page 1,

line 3, after "device," insert -- and,--

line 4, delete "that with" and insert --a semiconductor device having--;

line 5, after "large-scale-integration," insert --for--;

line 7, defete "as having" and insert --since they have a--; same line,